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SUBJ: ICNAF SPECIAL MEETING , ROME, JANUARY 21-26

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1. ON JANUARY 20 I PRESENTED TO DR. GEYER OF THE FOREIGN MINISTRY A LETTER SETTING FORTH U.S. VIEWS CONTAINED IN REFTEL ON ISSUES ON THE AGENDA OF THE ICNAF MEETING IN ROME. DR. GEYER WAS ACTING DEPUTY FOREIGN MINISTER AT THE TIME.

2. WHILE DR. GEYER DID NOT DISCUSS THE ICNAF MEETING IN ANY DETAIL, HE IMMEDIATELY EXPRESSED HIS PLEASURE AT BEING KEPT INFORMED OF THE US POSITION RELATING TO FISHERY MATTERS. HE RECALLED

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THAT WE HAD SEEN HIM IN THE SPRING OF LAST YEAR CONCERNING ICNAF,

AND PROMISED THAT THE CONTENTS OF MY LETTER WOULD BE MADE KNOWN
TO THE GDR DELEGATION IMMEDIATELY.

3. DR. GEYER REMARKED THAT ALL FISH ARE IMPORTANT AND NOTED THAT
ON A NUMBER OF LAW OF THE SEA ISSUES THE US AND GDR POSITIONS ARE
"VERY SIMILAR". HE SAID THAT IF THERE WERE NOT A SUCCESSFUL OUT-
COME OF THE LAW OF THE SEA CONFERENCE, FUTURE GENERATIONS WOULD
SEVERELY BLAME TODAY'S GENERATION FOR SUCH A FAILURE.COOPER

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